

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re application of |                                 | )          |
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|                      | Lewis B. Aronson et al.         | )          |
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| Serial No.:          | 10/687,107                      | ) Art Unit |
|                      |                                 | ) 2613     |
| Filed:               | October 16, 2003                | )          |
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| For:                 | FLEXIBLE CIRCUIT DESIGN FOR     | )          |
|                      | IMPROVED LASER BIAS CONNECTIONS | )          |
|                      | TO OPTICAL ASSEMBLIES           | )          |
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| Confirmation No.:    | 7228                            | )          |
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed October 17, 2007 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.